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Sent: Friday, July 19, 2013 3:57 PM

To: Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC

Subject: RE: URGENT: Confirmation of Exide FA Obligations

Thank you!

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From: Tan, Chrisna

Sent: Monday, June 17, 2013 9:25 AM

To: Davies, Lynne;Mark.Latham@ct.gov;Kaufman, Craig;Gibbons, Melissa;Shiffman,

Cari;Doggett, Theresa;JEAN, RUTH;Hicks, Jacki;Fritz, Frank;Miller,

Gary; Jenny. Barnes@dtsc.ca.gov; Hodges, Susan; Bryan. Baker@DEP. State. FL. US; Mitzel,

Glenn;Scott, Lauretta;Shaffer, Caleb;mark.stoebner@tceq.texas.gov;Rost,

Norman; Thomas. Brand@doh.hawaii.gov; Kalaiwaa,

<u>Paul;Gracelda.Simmons@doh.hawaii.gov;Spalding</u>, Susan;Potts, Mark;Przyborski, Jay;Newton, Mimi;Stewart, Robert;Echevarria, <u>Edgar;jim.brown@dnr.state.ga.us</u> Greg Yturralde;Caroline Sweeney;Margaret Ligarde;Houseal, Linda;Nadolski,

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Cynthia; Dao, Khai; Tidmore, Guy

Subject: Exide FA

Hello all -

Cc:

For our Excide call at 1pm today (in ½ hour), here is the conference line number:

Call-in number: 1-866-299-3188

Code: 202-564-4272

Chrisna Tan, Attorney-Adviser

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency Office of Site Remediation Enforcement Phone: (202) 564-4272 Fax: (202) 501-0269

E-mail: tan.chrisna@epa.gov

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From: Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC kizgar@DTSC kizgar@DTSC kizgar@dtsc.ca.gov

Sent: Wednesday, May 15, 2013 12:27 PM

To:Shaffer, CalebSubject:Kettleman

Hi Caleb, I got your call in regards to Kettleman. I will call you back once I am able to do so. Exide is keeping me busy and at HQs. I have asked Peter to call you right away.

Regards.

Rizgar A. Ghazi, P.E.
Office of Permitting
Department of Toxic Substances Control
8800 Cal Center Drive, Sacramento, CA 95826
T: 916-255-3572 | C: 916-825-3078

From: Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC < Rizgar.Ghazi@dtsc.ca.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2013 8:39 AM

To: Shaffer, Caleb

Subject: FW: One more Exide flick

Attachments: Exide CD3 truckscales - EX7 232ft.wmv

Video of the pipes.

From: Shaffer, Caleb

Sent: Wednesday, April 24, 2013 7:28 AM

To: Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC

Subject: RE: Exide

Thanks Rizgar,

We had gotten the press release and your talking points earlier yesterday. I had left you a VM wanting to clarify some things to help us respond to inquiries we are getting.

Caleb

From: Ghazi, Rizgar@DTSC [mailto:Rizgar.Ghazi@dtsc.ca.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, April 23, 2013 8:02 PM

To: Shaffer, Caleb **Subject:** Exide

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From: Shaffer, Caleb

Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2013 9:09 AM

To: Johnson, Brian@DTSC
Cc: Joshua@DTSC

Subject: FW: Exide Lead Smelter - Contacts at South Coast AQMD and California Department of

Toxic Substances Control (DTSC)

Brian, thanks for the contact. We've passed the information along and Josh should be hearing from the Congresswoman's office directly.

Caleb

From: Maier, Brent

Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2013 9:05 AM **To:** Tachiki, Kimberlee; 'Unzueta, Maria' **Cc:** Shaffer, Caleb; Adams, Elizabeth

Subject: Exide Lead Smelter - Contacts at South Coast AQMD and California Department of Toxic Substances Control

(DTSC)

Kim/Maria -

In follow up to our call yesterday, I wanted to send you both the contacts at the South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD) and the California Department of Toxic Substances Control that you may wish to contact regarding other questions you had with Exide Lead Smelter in Vernon, CA.

California South Coast Air Quality Management District (AQMD)

Lisha Smith, Deputy Executive Officer for Legislative and Public Affairs 21865 Copley Dr. - Diamond Bar CA 91765

Phone: 909.396.2000

California Department of Toxic Substances Control

Josh Tooker, Legislative Deputy Director 1001 I Street P.O. Box 806 Sacramento, 95812-0806

Phone: 916.324.7663

E-mail: <u>JTooker@dtsc.ca.gov</u>

Brent Maier

Congressional Liaison U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region IX 75 Hawthorne St. (OPA-3) San Francisco, CA 94105

Ph: 415.947.4256

From: Johnson, Brian@DTSC Sprian.Johnson@dtsc.ca.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, March 27, 2013 8:29 AM

To: Shaffer, Caleb

Cc: Tooker, Joshua@DTSC

Subject: RE: Congressional Inquiry on Exide

Caleb,

Thank you for the heads up. Our contact for this matter will be our legislative deputy director Josh Tooker 916.324.7663. Thanks much.

Brian

From: Shaffer, Caleb [mailto:Shaffer.Caleb@epa.gov]

Sent: Tuesday, March 26, 2013 12:19 PM

To: Johnson, Brian@DTSC

Cc: Maier, Brent

Subject: Congressional Inquiry on Exide

Hi Brian,

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